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1		BILL NO
2		INTRODUCED BY
3		(Primary Sponsor) BY REQUEST OF THE STATE LIBRARY COMMISSION
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5	A BILL FOR A	N ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT CREATING THE MONTANA STATE REFERENCE NETWORK
6	ENTERPRISE	FUND; AUTHORIZING THE MONTANA STATE LIBRARY TO ADMINISTER THE STATE
7	REFERENCE NETWORK; PROVIDING RULEMAKING AUTHORITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE	
8	DATE."	
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10	BE IT ENACTE	ED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:
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12	NEW S	SECTION. Section 1. Administration of state reference network rulemaking. (1) The
13	state library shall administer a state reference network to provide real-time geospatial location data from any	
14	location within the network.	
15	(2)	The state library may enter into contracts with other agencies and the private sector to carry out
16	the provisions of the state reference network.	
17	(3)	The state library commission shall adopt rules necessary to carry out the provisions of [sections
18	1 and 2].	
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20	NEW S	SECTION. Section 2. Enterprise fund account for state reference network operations. (1)
21	There is an account of the enterprise fund type, as described in 17-2-102(2)(a), to be known as the Montana	
22	state reference network account.	
23	(2)	(a) The account is to the credit of the state library and is to be used for operation of the state
24	reference netw	ork. All fees collected by the state library for the use of the state reference network must be
25	deposited in the account to be used for state reference network operations by the state library.	
26	(b)	Revenue collected from fees for the use of the state reference network pursuant to [section 1]
27	must be deposited in the account.	
28	(c)	All interest and earnings on money deposited in the account must be credited to the account

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1	and used for state reference network operations by the state library.
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3	NEW SECTION. Section 3. Codification instruction. [Sections 1 and 2] are intended to be codified
4	as an integral part of Title 22, chapter 1, part 2, and the provisions of Title 22, chapter 1, part 2, apply to
5	[sections 1 and 2].
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7	NEW SECTION. Section 4. Effective date. [This act] is effective July 1, 2023.
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